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DIGITAL AUDIO STREAM)
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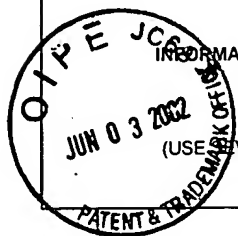
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	1.	"Digital Audio Sample Rate Converter," Cirrus Logic, Inc., 1999

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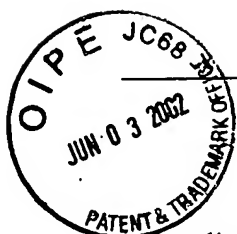
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- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
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- (X) Copy of co-pending Application No. 10/090,505.
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Applicants direct the Examiner's attention to co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 10/090,505, filed on the same date as the present application. Applicants are enclosing a copy of the co-pending application.

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